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For: NEW IGBT CATHODE DESIGN)	
WITH IMPROVED SAFE OPERATING)	
AREA CAPABILITY)	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, kindly amend the above-captioned
application as follows: